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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Colin DUNLOP  
Serial no. : 09/423,776  
Filed : with an effective filing date of May 13, 1998  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MONITORING HAEMODYNAMIC FUNCTION  
Group Art Unit : 3736  
Examiner : Ryan Carter  
Docket : GRIHAC P26AUS

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

The Applicant hereby petitions for a three (3) month extension of term, attached hereto, thereby extending the term for response to and including **June 22, 2001**.

[XXX] A check for the fees indicated below, based upon the Applicant's small entity status, accompanies this response.	
PETITION FOR 3-MONTH EXTENSION OF TERM	\$445
NOTICE OF APPEAL	\$
TERMINAL DISCLAIMER	\$
LATE SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATE.	\$
TOTAL CLAIMS ALREADY PAID FOR __	
ADDITIONAL CLAIMS ADDED HEREBY <u>  X  </u> =	\$
TOTAL INDEPENDENT CLAIMS ALREADY PAID FOR __	
ADDITIONAL IND. CLAIMS ADDED HEREBY <u>  x  </u> =	\$
TOTAL:	\$445

In response to the official action mailed December 22, 2000, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 34-65, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claims 66-97 as follows.